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# ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ORGANIZATION OF THE WORK OF THE SESSION

## Provisional agenda and annotations for the forty-sixth session of the Trade and Development Board

Corrigendum

Item 3 Interdependence and global economic issues from a trade and development perspective: trade, growth and external financing in developing countries

Under documentation *add*

UNCTAD/WIR/1999 *World Investment Report, 1999*

Item 4 Review of progress in the implementation of the Programme of Action for Least Developed Countries for the 1990s and review of the status of the preparatory process for the Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries

*Replace* the existing text with the following:

15. "A Partnership for Growth and Development" (TD/377), adopted at UNCTAD IX, provides in paragraph 107(c) that the Board will review at its annual sessions progress in the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries.

16. For the review of progress in the implementation of the Programme of Action, the Board will have before it the *Overview* of the *Least Developed Countries 1999 Report*. The main theme of the *Report* is improving productive capacity of LDCs and enhancing their competitiveness. The Board will also have available to it the report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations to the General Assembly on the implementation of the Programme of Action.

17. For the review of the status of the preparatory process for the Third UN Conference on LDCs, the Board will have available to it the report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations to the General Assembly being prepared in accordance with General Assembly resolution 53/182. The report will review the proposed preparatory process at the country regional and global level.

Documentation

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| UNCTAD/LDC/1999 (Overview) | *The Least Developed Countries 1999 Report - Overview* |
| A/54/269 | Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed countries for the 1990s |
| A/54/271 | State of preparations for the Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries |

Item 5 UNCTAD's contribution to the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s

Under documentation *replace* UNCTAD/TDR/1999 and Overview Trade and Development Board, 1999, (Part II) *with*

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| TD/B/46/10 | UNCTAD's contribution to the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s: Africa transport infrastructure, trade and competitiveness |